## U.S. Customs and Border Protection

[1651-0057]

## **Country of Origin Marking Requirements for Containers or Holders**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** 30-Day Notice and request for comments; Extension of an existing collection of information.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Customs and Border Protection will be submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA). The information collection is published in the *Federal Register* to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies.

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and must be submitted (no later than [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER]) to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain . Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review - Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional PRA information should be directed to Seth Renkema, Chief, Economic Impact Analysis Branch, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Office of Trade, Regulations and Rulings, 90 K Street NE, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, Washington, D.C. 20229-1177, Telephone number 202-325-0056 or via email CBP\_PRA@cbp.dhs.gov. Please note that the contact information provided here is solely for questions regarding this notice. Individuals seeking information about other CBP

programs should contact the CBP National Customer Service Center at 877-227-5511,

(TTY) 1-800-877-8339, or CBP website at https://www.cbp.gov/.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** CBP invites the general public and other Federal

agencies to comment on the proposed and/or continuing information collections pursuant to

the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.). This proposed information

collection was previously published in the *Federal Register* (Volume 87 FR Page 39108) on

June 30, 2022, allowing for a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional

30 days for public comments. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.8.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address

one or more of the following four points: (1) whether the proposed collection of information

is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether

the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the

burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology

and assumptions used; (3) suggestions to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the

information to be collected; and (4) suggestions to minimize the burden of the collection of

information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate

automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other

forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses. The

comments that are submitted will be summarized and included in the request for approval.

All comments will become a matter of public record.

**Overview of This Information Collection** 

Title: Country of Origin Marking Requirements for Containers or Holders

**OMB Number**: 1651-0057

Form Number: N/A

**Current Actions:** CBP proposes to extend the expiration date of this information

collection with no change to the burden hours or to the information collected.

**Type of Review:** Extension (without change)

Affected Public: Businesses

Abstract: Section 304 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1304,

requires each imported article of foreign origin, or its container, to be marked in a

conspicuous place as legibly, indelibly, and permanently as the nature of the article

or container permits, with the English name of the country of origin. The marking

informs the ultimate purchaser in the United States of the country of origin of the

article or its container. The marking requirements for containers or holders of

imported merchandise are provided for by 19 CFR 134.22(b).

The respondents to these requirements collection are members of the trade

community who are familiar with CBP requirements and regulations.

Type of Information Collection: Country of Origin Marking

**Estimated Number of Respondents: 250** 

Estimated Number of Annual Responses per Respondent: 40

**Estimated Number of Total Annual Responses: 10,000** 

**Estimated Time per Response**: 15 seconds

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 41

Dated: October 21, 2022.

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